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Historic American Buildings Survey Richard Koch, District Officer 309 Stern Building, New Orleans, Louisiana

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LAWYERS ROW

Clinton East Feliciana Parish Iouisiana

Owner: Dilly & Dilly

Date of Erection: Circa 1841

Architect: Unknown

Builder: Unknown

Present Condition: Poor

Number of Stories: One

Materials of Construction: Brick, plastered; shingle roof

Other existing Records: Old Louisiana, Lyle Saxon - Century Company, New York & London, 1929

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Additional Data:

Built in the character of the Courthouse, these buildings are superb examples of the adaption of a Greek Temple to the needs of the day and reflect most truly the early nineteenth century enthusiasm for classical architecture. Whether it was lack of knowledge or of material, something that was not Greek, but was full of charm, was developed and we regret that the whole square was not carried out in the temper of these two small buildings. What can be more simple than a small oblong room with conventional doors and windows and a portice of four Greek Doric columns of plastered brick, white washed - a cornice of wood with a few mouldings and a gray shingle roof?

April 6, 1937

APPROVED: